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Detectives Seek the Public's Assistance in a Sexual Assault

Case: 08-22150568

Date: Saturday, August 2, 2008

Time: 3:47a.m.

Location: 4400 block of Avenue A

Narrative:

On Saturday, August 2, 2008, Central West Area Command patrol officers were dispatched to a sexual assault call at the 4400 block of Avenue A.

A female victim left the Walgreens Pharmacy and was walking in the 4400 block of Avenue A when a male suspect attacked her from behind. The male physically assaulted the victim before dragging her a short distance from the road and raping her. The suspect left the scene in an unknown direction.

The suspect is described as: Hispanic Male Approximately 5' 11" tall Mid to late 20's Stocky build Spiky hair

The suspect concealed his face with a garment. He was last seen wearing a white t-shirt and dark shorts.

Detectives are asking for the public's assistance in identifying anyone suspicious in the area matching the description and /or composite. This case remains under investigation by Sex Crimes Unit detectives. If anyone has any information regarding this incident please call Sex Crimes at 512-974-5095



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<u>Media Advisory</u>: A composite of the suspect is attached. A Sex Crimes Unit detective will be available for interviews at 4 p.m. today at 4201 Ed Bluestein Blvd.